

THEY SAID IT -- WITH BALLOTS

Well, Mr. and Mrs. Voter, you evidently had your mind made up just what you intended to do and went about it. You are less concerned in these days about party labels and vote to give expression to your views of city management and methods. It was another evidence of the dislike for certain policies and practices. The men chosen were not selected because of the party label and it will be well for these men to act with this fact in mind. It is over and the order is to forward, march—under the banner: A Bigger and Better Portsmouth. "He profits most who serves best." Let's talk now of how we can further lower the burdens upon the people, and give the people a clean business administration. The tax-payers expect service.

SERVICE ABOVE SELF

THE WEATHER

Washington, Dec. 12.—Increasing cloudiness tomorrow followed by rain Thursday. Warmer Thursday. Increasing southerly winds.

THE PORTSMOUTH HERALD

FIRST IN NEWS—CIRCULATION GREATEST

SUN AND TIDE

Standard Time
Sun Rises 7.03
Sun Sets 4.12
Length of Day 9.09
High Tide 2.20 a. m. 2.30 p. m.
Moon Sets 9.30 p. m.
Light Auto Lamps at 4.42 p. m.

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PRICE TWO CENTS.

DEMOCRATS SWEEP THE CITY

BARGE CRASHES INTO NEW BRIDGE

Parts Lines at Dock and is Quickly Carried By Tide Against Pier and the Draw Section—Engineers Make Examination Today

The barge Orleans, owned in Fall River, with 3500 tons of soft coal for the Rockingham County Light and Power Company, parted her lines on Tuesday afternoon and was soon caught in the extremely strong tide down river, finally bringing up against the new memorial bridge. The stern of the vessel struck the cement pier on the Portsmouth end of the structure, causing the bow to swing partly under the draw section until her forward mast came in contact with the draw. The ship's pumps were started just as soon as she struck as the water began to leak in through the side against the pier.

operator of the draw would take no chances in lifting the same to allow a government tug to go through, until an examination could determine the extent of the injury to the bridge and whether or not it was safe to make a hoist.

Today Engineer Fine of the American Bridge Company, Commander R. M. Warfield, civil engineer at the navy yard and Superintendent Grover of the bridge, made an examination of the pier and draw span and found the damage was not as bad as it looked, and was confined mostly to the wood-work in which the concrete pier is incased.

The rigging and mast of the barge was damaged to some extent, as was her stern.

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THE VOTE BY WARDS					
	1	2	3	4	5
MAYOR					
Orel A. Dexter, d.	497	744	586	235	246—2308
Frank W. Knight, r.	419	829	287	242	145—1922
COUNCILMEN-AT-LARGE					
Phillips Badger, d.	458	664	555	231	235—2143
Harry E. Boynton, d.	468	759	570	236	247—2280
John W. Emery, d.	450	724	556	226	237—2193
William McEvoy, d.	442	639	562	221	237—2101
Edward A. Adams r.	422	803	264	228	139—1856
Ernest Frederickson, r.	443	779	265	227	145—1859
Richman P. Margeson, r.	439	855	267	235	143—1939
Frank L. Pryor, r.	445	872	269	236	141—1963
BOARD PUBLIC WORKS					
Thomas E. Collins, d.	464	597	573	218	257—2109
H. E. Philbrook, r.	454	945	277	250	144—2070
ASSESSOR OF TAXES					
James P. Whitman, d.	455	643	572	212	237—2119
John Yarwood, r.	455	890	285	252	149—2031
BOARD INSTRUCTION					
Lucius H. Thayer 948	1472	804	450	381—4055	
Ira A. Newick 948	1499	810	452	382—4091	
Harry W. Peyser 948	1476	807	448	379—4048	
Edward Seybolt 948	1478	795	449	378—4048	
Helen Pickering 948	1446	789	443	375—4001	
WARD COUNCILMEN					
William F. Fernald, d.	455				
Herbert H. Pool, r.	413				
George A. Smallcom, d.		545,			
Norman E. Rand, r.		925			
William Casey, d.			523		
William Linchey, r.			323		
Horace W. Gray, d.				231	
Arthur H. Locke, r.				231	
Samuel H. Alley, d.					233
John G. Kingsbury, r.					144

OREL A. DEXTER IS ELECTED MAYOR BY MAJORITY OF 386

INDICTED AS AN ACCESSORY

(By Associated Press)
Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 12.—Mrs. Margaret Weaver has been indicted as an accessory before the fact in the slaying of Capt. W. S. Coburn by Philip M. Fox, Solicitor General Doegam's office announced today. Evidence has been obtained to warrant similar indictments against several other persons whose names were not disclosed. It was added. According to the solicitor's office Mrs. Weaver is alleged to have been in company with Fox from Saturday preceeding the shooting until a few moments before Fox entered Coburn's office. She was under surveillance for some time after the shooting but has not been arrested. The solicitor's office said her home is in Columbus, Ohio.

IS PLEASED WITH U. S. ATTITUDE

(By Associated Press)
Paris, Dec. 12.—Col. James A. Logan, American observer on the reparations commission, officially notified Louis Barthou today that the United States government would view with favor the acceptance by American experts of an invitation to serve on the proposed committees that are to investigate Germany's finances. Louis Barthou, pre-pressed himself as greatly pleased with the American government's attitude.

MAKE RECORD LIQUOR HAUL

(By Associated Press)
Hingham, Dec. 12.—A record liquor seizure was made here early today when Federal Officer Williams and eight local policemen found 4000 gallons of alcohol stored in a barn near the water-front. Five men were arrested at the scene charged with unloading the contraband from a schooner.

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MAYOR-ELECT OREL A. DEXTER

Norman E. Rand, Chosen Councilman from Ward 2, Only Republican Elected—Collins Defeats Philbrook for Board of Public Works—Whitman Elected to Board of Assessors Over Yarwood

Orel A. Dexter will be the next mayor of Portsmouth, having been elected by a majority of 386 over Frank W. Knight, Republican, in yesterday's election.
The Democrats elected the mayor, four councilmen-at-large and three of the five ward councilmen, and will probably get the fourth as there was a tie vote in Ward 4 and the new council will undoubtedly seat the Democratic candidate. The only Republican to be elected was Norman E. Rand, ward councilman in Ward 2 who carried his ward by 380 majority.
By electing their candidates in the Board of Public Works and the Board of Assessors of Taxes the Democrats get control of these two important bodies as last year they elected one member to each board and now have the majority.
The old banner Democratic ward 3, came back to its own and the big majority rolled up there and in Ward 6 elected the ticket. In Ward 3 the Democrats made a gain of 99 votes over
(Continued on Page Four)

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BEAUTIFUL DESIGNS
BOOKS FOR CHILDREN, BOYS,
GIRLS AND OLDER READERS
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NEW HAMPSHIRE

KITTERY POINT

Kittery Point, Dec. 12.—The Ladies' Sewing Circle of the Congregational church held their annual Christmas sale and entertainment at the Community House on Tuesday evening. The tables were prettily decorated in colored crepe paper and contained fancy articles, aprons, home made pies, cakes and candies. Also the grab baskets attracted much attention among the children. A very nice program was given. Mrs. Potter having charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Perley Tobey, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Amee and Mrs. Amos Amee motored to Boston this morning for the day.

Several from here attended the lecture given by Dr. Lichter at High School hall, Portsmouth last evening. Mrs. Amos Amee of the Isle of Shoals is spending a few days at her home here.

The Home and Foreign missionary meeting of the First Christian church met with Mrs. Lulu Tobey this afternoon.

The Sewing Bee of the First Christian church will meet at the home of Mrs. John Goodwin for an all day session Thursday.

The posters advertising the Christmas sale and entertainment were done by Miss Julia Martin and were very attractive.

Don't forget the Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church will hold their

sale and entertainment at the vestry this evening, Dec. 12.

Money to Burn



German housewives have money to burn. Marks are so worthless, the women use 'em to light kitchen fires. Several million marks are being used by this woman to get breakfast hot.

EDWARD HOLMES IS COMMANDER OF HOVEY POST

Ensign Emerson Hovey Post, No. 1 Veterans of Foreign Wars, had its annual election of officers last night, resulting in the unanimous choice of the following:

Commander, Edward C. Holmes. Senior vice commander, James B. Mahoney.

Junior vice commander, Hadley P. Springer.

Quartermaster, Francis C. Malley, re-elected.

Surgeon, Dr. Wendell P. Claire, re-elected.

Chaplain, John Regan.

Officer of the day, LeBaron Dolan.

Trustee for 18 months, Jeremiah Sweeney.

Member of governing board for two years, Herman Feuerhahn.

Previous to the election of officers the retiring commander discharged all standing committees. The post is in a strong financial condition and starts out with a very prosperous year in view.

The installation of officers will take place Jan. 8. State commander, Guy P. Joy, of Dover, will be the installing officer. A committee has the arrangements for that event in hand and a very enjoyable evening is promised. The installation will be open to the friends of the members and invitations are to be extended to the different organizations that occupy the home and their friends. This will be the fifth installation, the post having been organized in 1919. Many prominent officials, both civil and military, are expected as guests at the installation.

NOTED EDITOR DIES AT PROVIDENCE

Providence, R. I., Dec. 12.—John Revelstoke Rathom, editor and general manager of the Providence Journal and the Evening Bulletin for the last twelve years, died at 8.30 o'clock Tuesday morning at his home in this city. He was in his fifty-sixth year.

In August 1922, Mr. Rathom underwent an operation, after which he never regained his health. His condition was so far improved in January of this year that he was able to leave this country for Europe where he spent seven months in the south of France and in England. Returning to this country last July Mr. Rathom went to a camp on Kennebec Lake in Maine, where of late years he was vacationing. He returned to his home in Providence in October and since that

time had been constantly under the care of physicians.

In 1924, under instructions from Attorney General Palmer, United States Attorney Caffey, in New York, made public the text of a "confession" made and signed three years before by Mr. Rathom, in which he disavowed the rights of himself and his paper to credit for activities against enemy spies and plots, which he had claimed in articles and addresses during the war.

In February, 1918, World's Work announced that it would discontinue publication of a series of articles by Mr. Rathom entitled "German's Plots Exposed." There was a report at the time that the Federal Government had caused the articles to be stopped. This Mr. Rathom denied, but at about the same time, "Land and Water," an English weekly magazine, ceased publication of the same series and announced in a footnote that its action was based on a request from the United States Government.

Speaking at the Boston City Club in 1920 Mr. Rathom attacked the Harvard Liberal Club and bitterly criticized activities of the Irish in the United States.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

Honor Americans

Rio, France, Dec. 12.—A monument dedicated to the half million American troops stationed in the region of Saint-Aignan and Noyers in 1918 and 1919, more particularly the 250 who died in the cantonments and are buried in the cemeteries there was unveiled yesterday.

Awards to Claimants

Washington, Dec. 12.—Awards in 55 cases totalling \$102,588 in favor of American claimants for losses sustained during the World War were handed down last night by the German-American mixed claims commission. The largest cases decided were those of the Geist Manufacturing Co., which was awarded \$50,000, the Michie Printing Press and Manufacturing Co., \$29,050, and William Bourne \$17,000. Interest of 5 percent was allowed in each case.

Canadian Minister Ill

Ottawa, Dec. 12.—W. S. Fielding, minister of finance, who is ill at his residence here, probably will not be able to take active part in the work of the approaching session of Parliament.

Pacific Ports Open

Ottawa, Dec. 12.—The minister of marine and fisheries has been authorized to issue licenses to United States fishing vessels on the Pacific coast of Canada. The licenses would allow American vessels to enter British Columbia ports to purchase bait, take on crews and dispose of fish in bond for export or for transmission to the United States.

Confirm Nomination

Washington, Dec. 12.—After a contest in executive session the nomination of Frank B. Kellogg, former U. S. Senator from Minnesota, to be ambassador to Great Britain was confirmed by the Senate. Both of the Farmer-Labor Senators from Minnesota, Johnson and Shipstead, and several others are understood to have argued against confirmation. They lost their fight, however, on a roll call vote. The vote was subsequently announced as 75 to 9.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Two large crevices are emitting 2,000,000 cubic feet of lava every hour from the Kilauea volcano, says a wireless message received by the Department of the Interior from Thomas Boles, superintendent of the Hawaii National Park, in which the volcano is located.

CHURCH WEDDING AT HAMPTON

Miss Ernestine Cole and J. Calvin Wygant, Jr. Married

A church wedding of much interest occurred on Tuesday evening at seven-thirty o'clock at the Congregational church in Hampton, when Miss Ernestine Cole, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest G. Cole of Hampton, became the bride of J. Calvin Wygant, Jr., of Marlboro, N. Y. The ceremony was performed by Rev. John Cummings in the presence of many relatives and friends of the contracting parties.

Miss Gertrude Johnson of Exeter, organist, and William Gupill of New Castle, violinist, rendered the music at the wedding and reception that followed.

The ushers were Barrett Wygant, Walter S. Betts and Edmund Carpenter of Marlboro, N. Y., and Randall Young of Hampton. White chrysanthemums and palms adorned the church, the adornings being arranged by Horak of Lynn, Mass.

The bride wore a gown of white broadcloth chignon over white satin, veil of tulle and carried a shower bouquet of white roses.

She was attended by Miss Helen Carpenter of Marlboro, N. Y., as maid of honor, who wore old blue chignon and carried lavender chrysanthemums.

The Misses Madelyn Wilson of Morenci, Mich., and Eleanor Wills of Melrose, Mass., acted as bridesmaids. They were attired in gowns of orchid chiffon and carried bouquets of Ophelia roses and orchid cyclamen.

Miss Reta Palmer was flower girl and wore a dainty gown of yellow crepe de chine. Vernon Dennett was ring bearer and carried the ring on a tray made from plates for the wedding invitations. The train bearers were Ada Mudd and Abbott Young. Theodore Baker of Marlboro, N. Y., was best man.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the church parlor where the bride and groom received under an arch which was used by the bride's parents at their first wedding anniversary. Refreshments were served. A small group of young people gathered at the bride's home later, and the bride cake was cut and distributed.

Later the newly married couple left on a wedding trip to the South and at its conclusion will reside at Hudson Terrace, Marlboro, N. Y. The bride's traveling gown was of taupe shade worn with hat of blue and silver. Mrs. Wygant is a graduate of Hampton Academy, Mount Ida preparatory school and Mount Holyoke College. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Calvin Wygant of Marlboro, N. Y., and served overseas with the 34th Infantry.

The bridal party was given a banquet on Monday evening at the Hotel Echo. Among the out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. Eaton Wygant, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Betts, Mr. and Mrs. Chett Schantz, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Cgrinany, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Velle, Marlboro, N. Y., Mrs. William J. Maddox, Washington, D. C., the Misses Charlotte and Anne Washburn, Elvira, Ohio, Miss Faith Wiggins, Fall River, Mass., Miss Edith Livingston, Pittsfield, this state.

OBSEQUIES

Charles H. Spinney

The funeral services of Charles H. Spinney were held from his late resi-

"I'm a Tough Guy!"



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dence on Picott Road, Kittery, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Charles Cook, pastor of the First Christian church officiated. The bearers were Harvey Wilson, William Hayes, Arthur Pettigrew and Samuel Caswell. Interment was in the Rogers cemetery under the direction of George & Pressey of Ham's Undertaking Rooms.

Execute Proal

San Antonio, Tex., Dec. 12.—Heron Proal, sometimes called the "Lenire of Mexico" was executed by a firing squad in the plaza at Vera Cruz shortly after the revolution broke out according to El Democrata, Callista organ of Mexico City. De La Huerta troops are reported to have directed the execution. Proal was the president of the Ingulines and took prominent part in the communist convention in Mexico City in February 1921.

NOTICE

Under the auspices of the Woman's City Club Dr. Clement B. Shaw will give the dramatic recital "The Drama of the Viking" Frithiot-Faga, on Thursday evening, Dec. 13th, at eight o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. hall. Members of the Woman's City Club will be shortly after the revolution broke out according to El Democrata, Callista membership card. Admission to the organ of Mexico City. De La Huerta public 50c. 2t 410-12

COLONIAL 2 Shows Daily 2, 7.30, Sat. 1.30, 3.20, 6.30, 8.20.

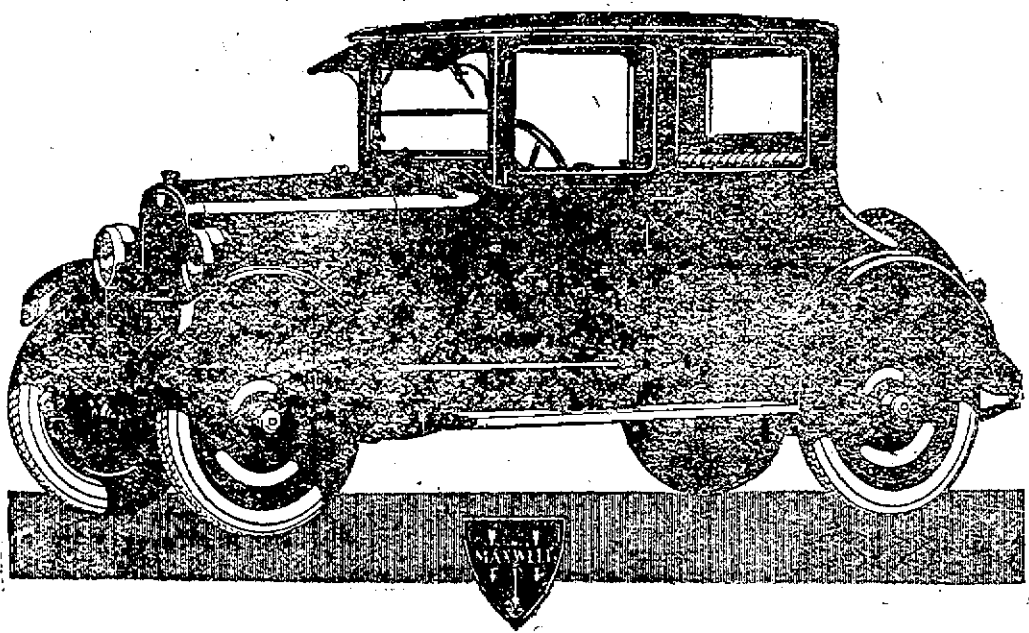
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SENTENCE DR. ROBB TO PRISON TERM

Boston Surgeon Must Serve Five Years As Result of Suit Case Mystery

Boston, Dec. 12.—Dr. William M. Robb, Back Bay surgeon, is in Charlestown state prison, serving a five to seven years sentence.

The missing head and pelvis of Mrs. Alice M. Wolschendorf, Merrimack river suitcase mystery victim, are in the possession of the police.

The murder indictments against Dr. Robb and Dr. Dalva A. Swope, Brockton physician, the latter charged with being an accessory to murder, were quashed.

Bail of \$5000 was set for Dr. Swope on the indictment recently charging him with being an accessory to a criminal operation upon Mrs. Wolschendorf, causing death.

These developments came in rapid succession in the death mystery, first disclosed in the finding of a suitcase containing the torso and arms of a woman in the Merrimack river at Tyngsboro on the morning of Sept. 1.



MRS. ALICE M. WOLSCHENDORF

together the bits of evidence which resulted in the arrest of Dr. Robb and Dr. Swope.

Yesterday afternoon, within an hour from the time he was sentenced by Judge Sisk in the East Cambridge superior criminal court, Dr. Robb entered prison, to spend the first day in solitary confinement.

This morning Dr. Swope may leave East Cambridge jail, where he has been held without bail since the middle of September. He will be arraigned Friday to plead to the new charge.

Dr. Robb had been taken from jail on three occasions in search of the missing head and pelvis. The first trip was on Nov. 27, but he led the police on a wild goose chase. He guided them to Billerica Centre and from there to the woods near Lowell. There he indicated a spot where he

said he had placed the pelvis, but no signs of it were found. The second trip, Dr. Robb guided the officers to a lonely spot on the Charles river, where they found the sterilization kit he had used in the operation. Inside the kit was an afternoon newspaper of Aug. 31: From West Roxbury the party went to Needham. In a secluded spot some distance from the roadway, Dr. Robb pointed out a broken auto trunk from his car.

The third trip was yesterday morning. At 7 o'clock the officers with Dr. Robb left jail and started up the Mohawk trail. They branched off in Lexington in the direction of Lincoln and stopped about two miles up this road, where Dr. Robb guided into the woods about 75 feet to the foot of a tree stump.

The woman's skull, face down, was discernable, though it had evidently been covered with a small amount of earth, which rain had washed away.

Leaving the head where they found it, the party returned to the Mohawk trail and started west again. At Acton they swung onto the Lowell road for three miles until they reached a small road branching to the right. About 30 yards up this country lane Dr. Robb led them into a woodland of birches. Nearly an hour was consumed in a vain search for the pelvis. Suddenly the doctor led the way to a small clump of birch trees and pointed to the spot where he had hidden the pelvis which also had been partially exposed by the rain.

CITY BRIEFS

It's over.

Eight to 1.

Any recounts?

Somebody voted.

Sun rises at 7.03.

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Very clean campaign.

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Now for some shopping.

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First trouble at the new bridge.

Any one got a line on the woman vote yet?

The weather man did his best on Election day.

The District Nursing Asso. deserves aid at any time.

The police at the polls had no trouble whatever.

The bout on Friday night will be all there is to boxing.

The band wagon was crowded Tuesday night as usual.

They tell us that every dog has his day and the cuts their nights but these animals must have changed around in Portsmouth of late.

SENSATIONS NEAR IN MAINE RUM PROBE

Augusta, Me., Dec. 11.—A continued session of the Federal grand jury opened here today with U. S. Dist. Atty. Frederick R. Dyer of Portland attending. It was understood the suspension of the session last month was for the purpose of giving the government time to obtain necessary witnesses in an investigation of prohibition enforcement conditions in Aroostook county.

Government officials made no statement today, but it was understood that the results of the present probe by the Federal grand jury will be the most sensational in the history of Maine's prohibition experience.

Shortly after the jury suspended last month, Sheriff Edward W. Grant of Aroostook removed two of his deputies, Guy E. Crosby of Oakfield and Lyndon Clifford of Wypitlock, without making public his reasons. He said he would have something to say after the grand jury had completed its work, and positively denied the rumor that he is going to resign.

SNOWSTORM AND HIGH WIND AT EL PASO, TEXAS

El Paso, Tex., Dec. 11.—El Paso, today was experiencing one of the worst snowstorms in twenty years, according to weather bureau records. Snow had fallen steadily for more than 12 hours, while a steady gale had caused damage to homes, farms and other properties throughout the Rio Grande valley.

WELCOME OUR NAVY PLANS

London, Dec. 11.—Secretary Denby's annual report, in which he requests the appropriation of \$30,000,000 for the modernization of the American Navy, is prominently printed by the London newspapers. The Daily Chronicle comments upon the happy circumstance that Mr. Denby's statement does not cause the least alarm or suspicion, as it might once have done.

"So far from either country taking umbrage at reports of this kind," says the newspaper, "there is a disposition in both Great Britain and America to welcome joint responsibility in policing the waters of the world." The note sounded by the report, the Daily Chronicle asserts, "is not that of antagonism, but of co-operation and healthy rivalry, aiming not at superiority but at efficiency." Britain regards "a strong American Navy as an added guaranty of the peace of the world."



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SOUTH ELIOT

South Eliot, Dec. 12.—The pupils of the No. 7 Grammar school are having a sale of candy for the School Improvement League.

home of Mrs. Herbert Nelson on Pleasant St.

The service rendered by the Roberts & Grace Bus Line is much appreciated by the people.

The Ladies Circle connected with the Advent church will meet at the

Mrs. Norris Willey of Dover was a recent visitor in town.

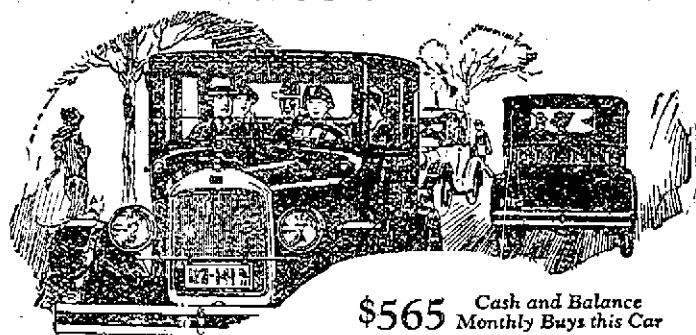
Arthur Spinney has recently had electric lights installed in his home.

Frank Leach is employed by Frederick Casavant of South Berwick.

Irving Saunders of Orland, Me., is visiting at the home of Bert Crowell.

The first animal to succumb to a very cold temperature is the horse.

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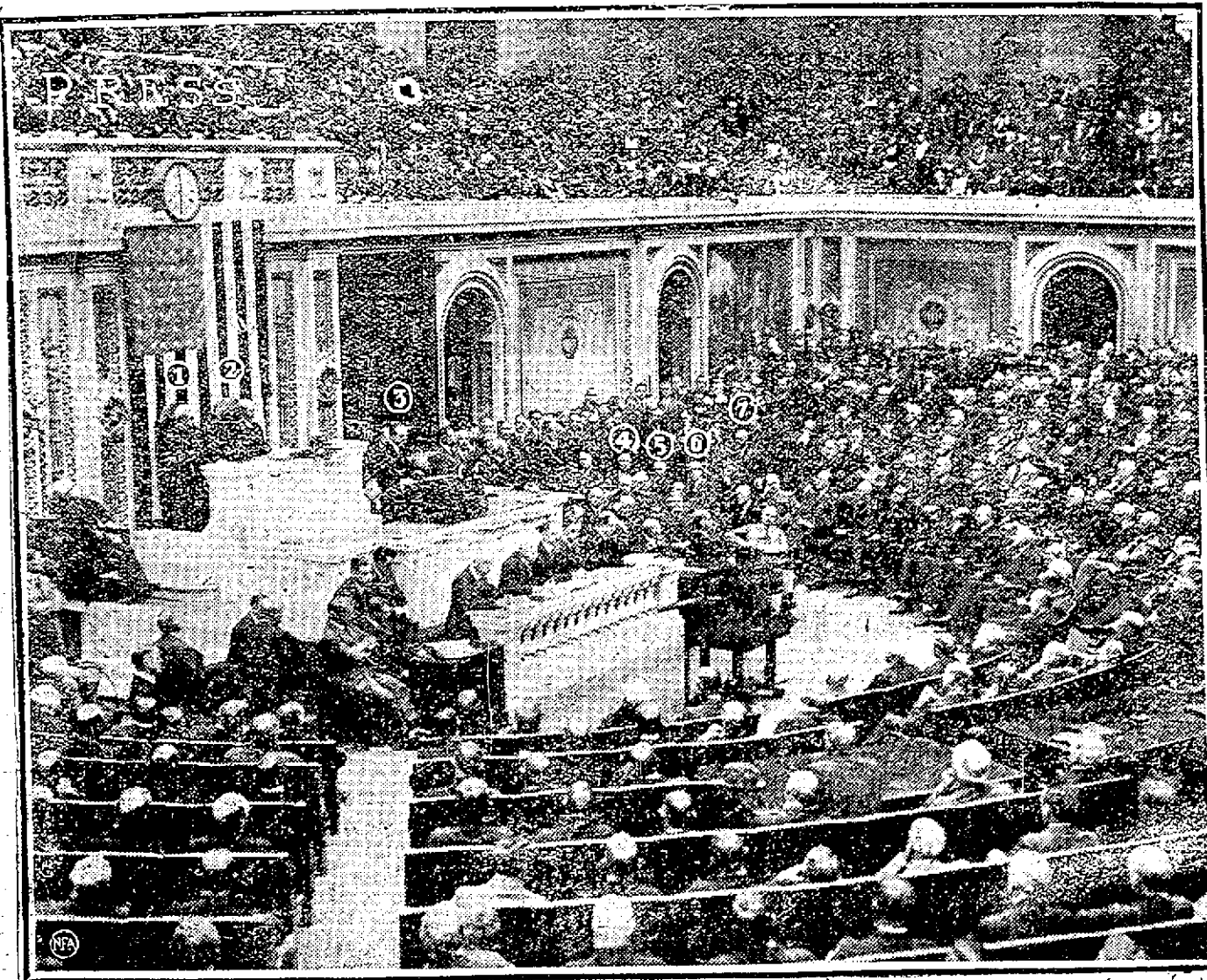
This New Jewett Special Sedan is smart and stylish—a fit setting for any family. Its rich Japanese blue finish is strikingly set off by nickel trimmings. Full, luxurious comfort for five. Seats are richly upholstered; interior fittings are in good taste. You'll agree it is beautiful.

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Portsmouth, N. H., Wednesday, December 12, 1923

The Election

Portsmouth voters had their say on Tuesday and while many partisans may claim a party victory, The Herald gives it as its opinion that it was non-partisan and an expression from the people of their dislike of certain political methods.

The voters are tired of politics in city affairs and they will scrutinize closely the acts of the men elected to serve them. On the ticket labeled "Democratic" were several life-long republicans and they were on the ticket not as party representatives, but as citizens interested in a desire to serve the community. The people have no ill feelings towards Mr. Knight; he stands high in the community, but they were out to complete a job undertaken by them two years ago.

Interstate Cars

The state of West Virginia thought it had an absolute right to its own natural gas and could make use of its entire supply sooner or later, and so undertook to restrict the importation of gas to other states.

The supreme court of the United States has decided upholding a former ruling, that West Virginia has no such right—but when gas enters a pipe it becomes an article of interstate commerce which only the United States government has authority to control.

The fathers of the Constitution evidently gave a powerful lever to the federal government when they provided that it might "regulate commerce."

The decision in this case may seem hardly fair to the state immediately concerned, but the court naturally decided the question on grounds of broad legality and expediency rather than the particular interests of West Virginia.

As a precedent, this decision may be far-reaching in the future, insuring that the United States of America will function as one great business unit rather than 42 units engaged in economic warfare against each other.

If West Virginia could keep its gas for itself, Texas by legal restriction could keep its oil, California its redwood, Colorado its silver, Iowa its wheat, Florida its oranges, Georgia its cotton, Massachusetts its fish, and so on, making infinite trouble, confusion and expense in a land which has grown prosperous by the free exchange of products and will continue to do so.

The Go-Go Man

A familiar figure he is at all important street intersections; typical of our modern days and their predominating spirit—eagerness to go, to get ahead, never to stand still. No matter of the occupants of a car, stalled by the lordly uplifting of a white-gloved hand are on urgent business or merely pleasuring, there is impatience and detention, a stirring desire to proceed. Few these days can endure the slightest delay.

This prevails as well in business, the professions, even in institutions of learning. Never before were men—and women nowadays—so intent upon their ambitions, enterprises and plans. They want the Go-Go sign always. They must drive, drive on and on. But on the thoroughfares the Go-Go man in a twinkling becomes the Stop-Stop man and in that twinkling becomes unpopular.

While the Go-Go man is especially a representative of modern push and haste, the Stop-Stop man is much older, dating back in truth to the beginning of human history. It stands for caution. There is danger ahead. It would be well to pause. The scouts sent out in the very oldest times were the original Go-Go men.

But there has been an immaterial Stop-Stop man since the earliest days. He represents human wisdom, good judgment, long-headedness, conscience as well as physical endurance. We all like the Go-Go man, whether forging ahead in pleasure or business, but it is, after all, the Stop-Stop man who, from time immemorial, has saved the race from disaster and pointed out the safe road to the civilization of today.

A Boll Weevil Eater

From Crystal Springs, Miss., comes the bold announcement that a successful way to overcome the boll weevil has been found. Mance Dees, a cotton planter, says the "Argentine ant" will do the work.

He planted two patches of cotton last Spring, one in ordinary soil and one in soft soil infested with ants. In the latter patch, he says, he found that the weevils made no headway, because the ants destroyed them as fast as they appeared. In proof of his claim, he submits two typical stalks from each cotton patch, one stalk containing only shriveled and undeveloped bolls and the other containing 149 fully matured bolls.

If his discovery is verified it will be worth millions of dollars to the south, also to the rest of the country—and there will be a clamorous market for Argentine ants for many years to come. It may turn out to be a joke or a mistake. Yet most of the means whereby mankind has overcome hostile insects and germs have been just as simple when once discovered.

During a recent extended dry spell the people of a western section met to pray for rain. The services broke up in a row because a day to have the downpour could not be fixed.

NEWS OF THE NAVY AND NAVY YARDS

Naval Orders
Commander R. W. Cabaniss to Aircraft Factory, Navy Yard, Philadelphia.
Commander I. T. Hagner to 11th Nav. Dist., San Diego.
Lieut. Comdr. C. B. Cameron to temp duty rec'g. ship at N. Y. and continue temp. additional duty instrn. N. Y. Eye & Ear Inf'y.
Lieut. P. W. Busby continue duty on the Proteus.
Lieut. K. Preston to continue treatment Nav. Hosp. San Diego.
Lieut. T. Shelley to aide on Stf. Comdr. in Chf. U. S. Flt. additional duty Ftt. Sig. Ofcr.
Lieut. W. H. Harrell to Nav. Hosp., Boston.
Lieut. F. L. Hubbard to Nav. Tra. Sta., Hampton Rds.
Lieut. H. C. Kellers to Nav. Air Sta., Hampton Rds.
Lieut. J. B. Logue to Nav. Hosp., Norfolk.
Lieuts. G. Selby, J. F. Terrell to Nav. Hosp., Annapolis.
Lieut. G. Rembert to temp. duty instrn., Sup. Corps School of Appln., Washington.
Lieut. R. M. Peil to the Florida.

Taking No Chances

Since the disaster on the Pacific coast commanders of all naval ships are asking independently for wireless compass bearings, their commanding officers not taking any more chances of being brought before a court martial board.

Going to Boston

The U. S. S. Cleveland is going to the Charlestown yard for a short time and the U. S. S. Colorado is expected to be dry docked at South Boston.

Death Results from Scalding

A board of inquest has been sitting at the Charlestown yard on the death of David C. Pidgeon, a fireman first class, who died at the Naval Hospital Chelsea, on Saturday. He was attached to the tug Mohave and was scalded by the bursting of a steam pipe.

Train Has 300

The navy yard workmen's train over the Boston and Maine is at present conveying 300 or more passengers daily.

Will Take a Year

The job of breaking up the U. S. S. Delaware at the Charlestown yard is expected to last about a year.

Take Down Steel Stack

The 115 foot steel smoke stack of the yard power plant erected during the war, has been removed by foreman Gilker and his crew of riggers and laborers. The stack went out of use when the new 225 foot brick chimney was recently put in operation.

Call Machinists

The Board of Labor Employment today called four machinists for duty in the yard electrical shop.

Bowling Party

A party of girls from the Industrial Dept. enjoyed several strings of bowling on the yard alleys Tuesday evening.

Will Marry at Newmarket

H. M. Fahrenbach, a boatswain's mate attached to the commandant's barge, will become a member of the benefit army next month. The prospective bride is Miss Diana Luzon, a popular resident of Newmarket.

Ferryboat Stands By

The yard ferryboat No. 132 which was on the Portsmouth side of the river when the coal barge Orleans crashed into the Memorial bridge on Tuesday evening, immediately put off from her landing and stood by the barge ready to rescue the crew in case there was danger of the ship sinking.

To Give Station Ball

The enlisted personnel of the local yard will conduct a station concert and ball in the yard on Saturday evening, Dec. 29. This event, according to the plans under way, will be one of the big social affairs of the station as far as the men attached there are concerned. Various committees have been named and the commandant and other officers have promised all possible assistance. Admission will be by invitation cards to be sent out shortly by those interested in the affair.

WILL NOT CLIMB STAIRS

It may not be realized by the Democratic and Republican parties of Portsmouth, but quite a number of elderly people did not vote on Tuesday owing to being unable to climb the stairs to the voting places of the several wards. This complaint comes mostly from women, especially in wards one, four and five. Many protests were heard on this matter Tuesday. Here is where the women fit again. If they insist on a remedy for these conditions they will win out in time.

OBITUARY

Captain Tariton

Word was received here today of the death in Stapleton, N. Y., of Captain W. Tariton. The body will leave Stapleton tonight for this city, and interment will take place here.

Make it a Kodak Xmas. All styles at Montgomery's.

DEMOCRATS SWEEP THE CITY

(Continued from page One)

last year and in Ward 5 a gain of 57 votes. The other wards showed a Republican gain over last year, especially in Ward 2. The total vote was less than last year by 203 votes. This year the total vote for mayor was 4230 and last year 4437.

In Ward 1 Dexter defeated Knight by 78 votes. He lost to Knight in Ward 2 by 85 votes, carried Ward 3 by 299, lost Ward 4 by seven votes, and carried Ward 5 by 101.

The chief interest seemed to center around the Board of Public Works, where Thomas E. Collins was elected over Harry E. Philbrook, was somewhat of a surprise, Collins being elected by 79 votes. Philbrook was ten behind in Ward 1, beat Collins 348 votes in Ward 2, lost by 296 in Ward 3, won by 32 in Ward 4 and lost in Ward 5 by 113.

James T. Whitman defeated John Yarwood for years clerk of the Board



THOMAS E. COLLINS
Elected Member Board of Public Works

of Assessors, by 58 votes. They were tie in Ward 1. Yarwood carried Ward 2, and Ward 4, but lost in Wards 3 and 5.

Harry Philbrook led the Republican ticket and Orel A. Dexter the Democratic ticket.

The vote for ward councilmen was not as large as for the other parts of the ticket. In Ward 1 William E. Ferrald was re-elected over Herbert H. Poole by 42 votes. In Ward 2 Norman E. Rand defeated George A. Smallcon by 350 majority. In Ward 3 William Casey defeated William J. Linchey by 200 votes. In Ward 4 Horace W. Gray and Arthur H. Locke were tie 231 each. There was a dispute here over some of the ballots and it necessitated a recount. In Ward 5 Samuel H. Alley defeated John G. Kingsbury by 89 votes.

Five members of the Board of Instruction were elected, two being new members, Harry W. Poyser and Edward Seybold. Miss Helen Pickering who was filling an unexpired term was elected for one year.

NOTES OF THE ELECTION

Assessor-elect James T. Whitman served with ex-Mayor Hartford as a member of the finance committee for two years and he showed a keen interest in city affairs. He is well equipped, a hard worker and will bring to the office not only a desire to perform the duties but a determination to do his work impartially.

The Democrats in Ward Three appear to be able to do a complete job any time they have a desire to do so.

The people of Portsmouth have "taken the bit in their teeth" so to speak, and are going to clean out city politics one way or another, in an effort to bring this city into line with other cities. They are striving for bigger and better things. Years ago various communities in the country discovered the mistake of petty politics in city business.

Portsmouth has moved slowly for 100 years but things look brighter every day now, in the way of more business and more people.

A member of the Board of Public Works, elect, Thomas E. Collins, proved as a councilman, that his ambition was to serve the people and he voted and worked to do the right thing.

When the Board of Public Works failed to carry out the instructions of the City Council for a living wage for a city employee, they helped to seal the face of the party that they represented. While living conditions are as they are, the city workman is entitled to a square deal along with other members of the working class.

SHOOT'S WIFE AT DANCE

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 12.—John George shot and probably fatally wounded his wife, wounded Eugene Coats, Mrs. George's dancing partner and killed himself at a dance in the home of his mother-in-law early today. That George was crazed with jealousy because his wife refused a dance with him and was dancing with Coats, was the theory advanced by authorities seeking a motive for George's act.

RECOMMENDS SUSPENSION OF HAVEN MEDALS

Finances was the principal discussion at the monthly meeting of the Board of Instruction held on Tuesday evening with Mr. Thayer presiding in the absence of the Mayor. There were present Messrs. Gooding, Goodman, Mitchell, Newick, Toner, Sherburne, Mrs. Gray, Mrs. Wood and Miss Pickering.

The finance committee was empowered to approve bills and a special committee consisting of Mr. Thayer, Mr. Toner and Mrs. Wood was appointed to appear before the council and ask for sufficient funds to complete the year.

Mr. Newick in behalf of the special committee of the alumni which has been working for the past year or more on plans for a High School Athletic Association with an Athletic Council, which will consist of four members of the Alumni, the headmaster of the high school, the coach, a faculty member to be appointed by the headmaster and a member from each class in the school, laid the plans before the board and asked for their endorsement. On motion of Mrs. Wood this was given.

The high school committee recommended the election of Raymond I. Beal of Sanford, for the past five years principal of the Bridgewater, Mass., Junior high school as principal of the Junior high school and he was elected.

The resignation of Miss Elizabeth Byrne as critic and model teacher at the high school was received to take effect the first of the year and it was accepted.

The committee on school houses reported the award of the contract for the heating of the Haven school to Cottle & McCarthy that the boilers had already been shipped and the plant would be in operation by the first of the year.

Supt. Slayton in his report said that the Educational week had been very successful and that the Board of Instruction educational plan had been approved by the Lafayette and Haven Parent Teachers Association and by the Chamber of Commerce.

That Miss Bertha Colburn had returned to her duties at the Cabot street Kindergarten after a three months sick leave.

Supt. Slayton made the following interesting report on the Haven Medal Trust fund and after some discussion the recommendations outlined were adopted. The following is his report:

At the request of the committee on High Schools I wish to submit the following report on the Horace A. Haven Fund.

The original bequest given in 1843 was \$300. Interest accumulations brought this up to \$1520.00 in 1862, at which time, following the wish of the Haven heirs, the amount was funded and the interest was used for scholarship medals. Provision was made for the annual award of fourteen medals to boys and girls of Portsmouth High School.

In 1904 a revision of the plan of awards was adopted by the Board of Instruction and the plan has since been followed. While the number of medals has not increased, the cost of making them has trebled in the last seven years, the demand after this income is in excess of the annual income, hence impossible to provide medals according to 1904 plan of awards.

Conclusions

1. The Horace A. Haven Fund is in a state of insolvency as far as meeting present obligations is concerned.
2. It will take the interest accumulation of three and a half years to meet present bills.
3. It will require the interest of nearly three years to pay for one year's medals.

Recommendations

1. I recommend the suspension of award of the Haven medals until the fund is solvent.
2. I recommend the careful study by a special committee of the Board of the whole matter of medal awards

with reference to (1) The legal obligations of the Board (2) The advantages to the school and individual pupils (3) The practices followed elsewhere.

Respectfully submitted,
W. H. SLAYTON,
Supt. of Schools.

December 11, 1923.

CLAM HUERTA TAKES CONTROL

(By Associated Press)
New York, Dec. 12.—Albert Mascareñas, Mexican consul general in New York announced today that he had received a telegram purporting to come from Afolphe de la Huerta, rebel leader, informing him that he had assumed control of the government. The consul said he disregarded the message which directed him to take orders from de la Huerta.

INDICTED ON MURDER CHARGE

(By Associated Press)
New York, Dec. 12.—Morris Diamond, his brother Joseph and Anthony Pantano were indicted today charged with murder in the first degree in the slaying and robbing of two bank messengers in Brooklyn, Nov. 14.

MAINE SHERIFF IS INDICTED

(By Associated Press)
Bangor, Dec. 12.—An indictment charging conspiracy to violate the national prohibition law was returned today in the United States district court against Edmund W. Grant, sheriff of Aroostook county, George E. Crosby former deputy sheriff and Willard S. Levin, attorney all of Houlton.

PERSONALS

J. M. Washburn is a visitor in Boston today.

Miss Dorothy Kelley passed Wednesday in Boston.

Mrs. E. Curtis Matthews is passing the day in Boston.

Mrs. Eugene S. Daniels of Greenland is passing the day in Boston.

Mrs. Mabel Baker of York has come to this city to pass the winter.

Conductor George Kennard has resumed his run between this city and Boston.

Captain John Bennett of York left this week for Jacksonville, Florida to pass the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore of Deer street leave next week for Miami, Florida, to pass the winter.

Mrs. George W. Downing and Mrs. E. H. Libbey are passing the day in Portland making the trip by auto.

County Commissioner Sherman T. Newton is attending a meeting of the commissioners at Brentwood today.

Joseph Dondoro underwent a serious operation at the Massachusetts General Hospital on Saturday. He is reported as getting along finely.

J. E. Connors, former secretary to General Manager G. S. Hewins at the L. H. Shattuck shipyard, who has been in Vermont for the past year, was a visitor here today and called on the Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Gordon who have been visiting relatives in Biddeford, Me., for several weeks, while he has been convalescing from a recent illness, will leave soon for the south for the benefit of his health.

ARRIVES AT HALIFAX

The rum ship Red Island, which left here a few days ago arrived in Halifax last night.

FINE LECTURE BY DR. LICHLITER

"The Vaudeville Mind" Subject of Inspiring Message at High School Hall

Dr. M. H. Lichliter of Newton, Mass., was greeted by a large audience Monday evening when he gave his lecture at High School Assembly hall Tuesday evening, this being the second entertainment in the Teachers' Entertainment course.

Miss Mary De Gross, president of the Teachers' Association, introduced the speaker, whose subject was "The Vaudeville Mind."

Dr. Lichliter referred to that type of mind that is described best in terms of vaudeville; the sort of mind that is uncritical; that does not discriminate; is too easily impressed; the sort of mind that does not discriminate between the sight of a glorious sunset or a white mule. He said we must guard against the vaudeville mind in education; that today in the elementary grade of a city school some 25 or 30 subjects may be taught. This is frequently due to the policy of its citizens. The boy gets the habit of smattering thoughts; is taught what to think instead of how to think. The students should be as much interested in the regular school-work as in doing everything outside the routine, the real objective of a boy or girl's education.

Dr. Lichliter referred to the aimlessness of the modern social life when all were bent on having a good time. He did not think the blame rested on the young people, but said the responsibility is in the background and the young people have caught the spirit of their elders. Dr. Lichliter said he had faith in the young people of today and that they were frank and open.

In reference to politics he said our political problems in America are due to our vaudeville mind in voting. We should dare to be independent or we will never have political efficiency. We should keep an open mind and get at the true facts of things and not be ready to believe propaganda.

In referring to the new Americans who now make this country their home, the speaker said we should see things through the eyes of the other man as well as our own. He felt glad the habit of talking about "Americanization" has stopped. He said now we have meetings for citizenship instead of Americanization. We should cross the barriers with friendship and establish friendship with the intellectual leaders of these non-English speaking people who come among us and give the human side a chance.

The lecture was interspersed with bits of humor and the constructive ideas aroused made a great impression on the audience.

PASSES NIGHT IN OPEN BOAT

Charles Clark, a Portsmouth fisherman passed a very uncomfortable night Monday, being obliged to spend the entire night in an open boat.

When Clark was preparing to return to the harbor his engine broke down and he was obliged to anchor. There was a cold northwest wind blowing and Mr. Clark suffered somewhat from exposure to the weather.

He was picked up in the morning by the lighthouse tender Zizania and brought into port.

NOT CONDUCTED BY HIGH SCHOOL

Editor Herald:—The dances which are held from time to time in the Annex at Freeman's hall are often misrepresented as high school dances.

The high school, however, has nothing to do with these dances. It does not sponsor or approve them.

They are conducted under private auspices and it is only fair that parents should understand this clearly.

LEE T. GRAY, Headmaster

Get that kiddie a Brownie at Montgomery's \$2.00 and up.

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Name

Signed

Address

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THIRD PRIZE \$ 5.00

FOURTH PRIZE \$ 3.00





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AMONG FIRST TO ENDORSE MELLON PLAN

The Portsmouth Chamber of Commerce was one of the first chambers of the eastern part of the United States to pass a resolution endorsing the Mellon plan of tax reduction, for appeals from other chambers to take action on this important matter are coming in on almost every mail. Among the chambers from which such requests have come are the Chamber of Commerce of the state of New York, the Pittsburgh Chamber of Commerce and the Portland, Me., chamber.

INVITES ALL P. T. ASSOCIATIONS

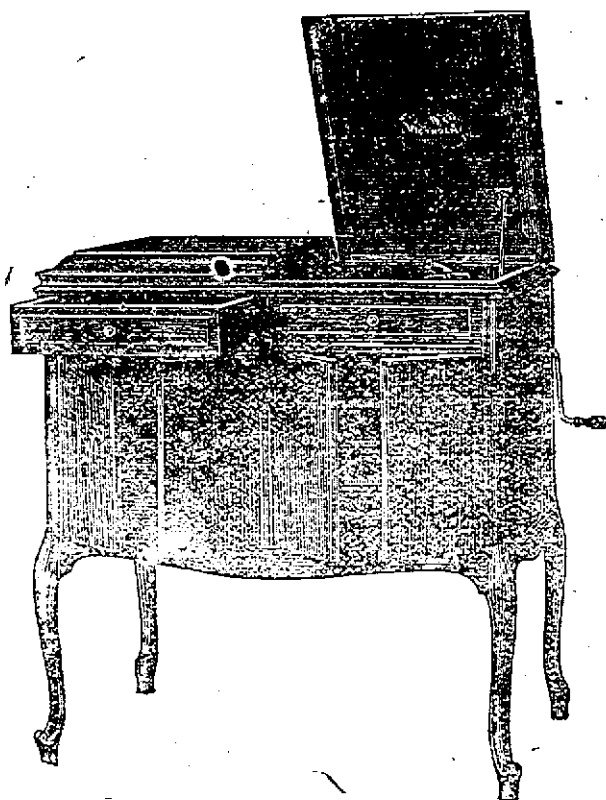
The Farragut Parent-Teacher Association cordially invites the members of all the other P. T. A. in the city to attend a lecture to be given at the school Friday, Dec. 14, at 7.30 o'clock, by Rev. Robert McClure. Mr. McClure has recently returned from China, where he spent seven years working with and teaching the people. He will speak on "China—Her People and Customs."

FIRST APPEARANCE HERE

Tommy Fleurant of this city will meet Young Volgaast of Boston in the semi-final bout of the boxing show at Portsmouth, N. H., next Friday night. This will be the first appearance of the crack local featherweight in Portsmouth and he is out to continue his good work.—Bldford Journal.

FINE PAINTING

A woodland scene, painted in oil by



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HASSETT'S

NAME BRIDGES AND PERRY FOR POSTMASTERS

Both Appointed Under Democratic Administration

The name of Charles A. Perry has been sent to the Senate by the President for the position of Postmaster at Kittery Point and that of Edward C. Bridges for Postmaster at York Village. Both men were appointed to the office under former President Woodrow Wilson. Perry has taken two examinations for the place. He was a former druggist where he served 22 years. He is now in the Reserve Corps. Bridges and another candidate R. C. Fellows, a former railway postal clerk were the candidates for the York office. Fellows received the appointment sometime ago but was unable to serve owing to his health. A second examination was ordered for the office but no applicants appeared, consequently Bridges will be retained by the government. Another York County appointment made by the President was that of Stephen H. Ward of Kennebunkport.

BARBERS TEAM GETS PRETTY WELL SHAVED BY THE RYE BULLDOGS

A three man team of barbers got pretty well shaved up on Tuesday night at the Arcade bowling alleys. It was the barbers first appearance in a pin wrecking expedition and they were on the small end by 90 pins. However, they did well for the initial performance and showed that they know the game and when they break loose with a five-man team the local sporting circle can look for some surprises. Some one matched them up with the Rye Bull Dogs. They didn't really bite, but they did a whole lot of barking and snapping at the tonsorial delegation. Philbrick of the seaside town trio was the high man for that outfit with a total of 278. Stafford headed the white coat brigade with 248. The following summary tells the story:

	Rye Bull Dogs	
Philbrick	90 105 83-278	
Brown	88 94 78-260	
Rand	83 97 81-261	
	261 296 242 799	
	Barbers	
Gardner	75 70 75-220	
Bunnell	80 79 82-241	
Stafford	90 82 76-248	
	245 291 233 769	

PUTTING ON FINE BOXING BOUT FOR FRIDAY EVENING

The boxing show for next Friday evening under the management of Bill Dow, has all the earmarks of a good exhibition. From the talk about town the affair will be greeted by a capacity crowd that will comprise many fans from the outside cities and towns. Both St. Helaire and Corbrey the main attraction, have posted \$100 weight money with Jim Dawson the Sporting Editor of the Dover Democrat. Both men are in the best of condition and will go out to make the bout as short as possible.

The sale of hats at the Hatchell Hat Shoppe will continue this week with the same reductions.

FOOD SALE

Food and fancy work, Friday, December 14th, next door to A. & P. store on State street, given by Mrs. Reginald Jones and Mrs. Fred Marshall. 2t d12

WHIST NOTICE

Regular whist party K. of C. tonight Wednesday, eight o'clock. 1t d12

NOTICE—SUPPER

Full chicken supper at Universalist church vestry, Thursday, Dec. 13 at 6.15. Tickets 50c. Enough said.

Kodak Portrait attachments. Self Tissues, Tripods, etc., at Montgomery's. 1t d12

WHAT BETTER GIFT?

If you want to make some friend or relative happy, send them a year's subscription of THE PORTSMOUTH HERALD. It will prove a daily reminder of your thoughtfulness and give the recipient much pleasure.

Phone 37 and Give Your Order.

Local Dashes

Start early for the big concert and dance in Freeman's hall tomorrow evening.

J. H. Hobbs Insurance Agency. 1t n20
Wood of all kinds for sale. Phone J. Regan, 662-W.

Mesh bags all styles at Robinson's Jewelry Store. 1t d12

Hard and soft wood, pine limba. Francis P. Clair, Cate St. Tel. 1507.

The sale of hats at the Hatchell Hat Shoppe will continue this week with the same reductions.

Monuments, gravestones. J. H. Dowd Co., C. F. Dowd Mgr. Tel. 1647-M, 93 Market street.

G. GRAY FOR COAL PHONES 55-1755

Paola, phone 1790. Steamship agent, bookings and information on all foreign sailings. 1t d12

Your piano needs tuning. Now is the proper time and Montgomery's tuning is the reasonable kind. Tel. 1132-M. 1t n24

Don't lose sight of the fact that 15 trained musicians will entertain at Freeman's hall tomorrow evening.

Before taking insurance get rates from Toner Agency, 506 Middle St. Insurance of all descriptions. Tel. 1346-M. 1t m17

That 50 hand colored assortment of Xmas cards at Hassett's is selling fast. Better get yours soon. 1t d12

Home orders taken for plum puddings, mince meat and relishes. Phone 1283-M. 3t d10-12-14

A new line of vanity cases at Robinson's Jewelry Store. 1t d12

We are booking the highest priced orchestras in New England—the Crescent Garden orchestra tomorrow evening and Paul Whiteman's on Saturday evening. Show us any other city the size of Portsmouth where these attractions are duplicated.

All kinds of Labor Furnished. Raphael Paola. Tel. 1790.

Follow the crowd to the Spot Dance at Cookson's Wednesday night.

Home made pies, cakes and doughnuts, also guaranteed strictly fresh eggs. F. C. Drury, 16 Bridge St. Tel. 546-M. 1m n26

"Listen In"—On the Lyric Quartet Wed. night, Dec. 12, at the Kris Kringle sale and entertainment at the Universalist Church Vestry. No admission.

Take your desserts out of the same old class by using Baker's—pure fruit extracts—and put them on a higher plane.

Let us again remind you that the balcony tomorrow evening in Freeman's hall is only 25 cents.

Our Automobile Insurance department has a 100 percent record of satisfactory claim settlements. Agents for the Actna Casualty & Surety Co., Caswell Agency, 9 Congress St. 1t d20

Kris Kringle Sale and Entertainment Wed. & Thurs. Dec. 12-13 at Universalist Church Vestry. Candy, Handkerchiefs, Aprons and Home Cooked Food.

Hemstitching and piecing done while you wait; mail orders promptly attended to. Fine materials skillfully handled. Mrs. Mullane, 33 Columbia St. 6m n216

So this is Portsmouth where the Crescent Garden orchestra and Paul Whiteman's Leviathan park on Thursday and Saturday respectively.

All kinds of home-made candy and sweets at the Kris Kringle Sale Wed. & Thurs., Dec. 12-13. Universalist Church Vestry. Afternoon & evening.

WHAT ABOUT THAT CELEBRATION TO WELCOME IN 1924?

The parade and outside celebration on New Year's eve is going big as far as the Franklin Pierce Veteran Firemen's Association is concerned, but there should be more of it. Why not a grand welcome for 1924 with other organizations participating? The event can be made the real thing if managed the right way and will bring hundreds of people to Portsmouth to welcome the New Year. It has been done before; why not again?

FIREMAN HURT AT MANCHESTER BLAZE

Manchester, Dec. 12.—Fire yesterday afternoon damaged the stock and machinery of the Fay Manufacturing Co., women's outfitters and fur dealers. The loss is estimated at \$35,000. A double alarm brought a large part of the fire department to Depot Square. The building was gutted. By the breaking of a ladder, Lieut. Oscar P. Stone of Hose 1, a fire-fighter of 41 years, was precipitated to the ground. He sustained a fractured knee and injured spine.

"The thing that tickles my palate the most am chicken." O You—Chicken Supper! Thurs. night, Dec. 13, 6.15 o'clock. Price 50c. Universalist Church Vestry, Pleasant St.

BASKETBALL GAMES AT ARMORY THIS EVENING

Two games will be played this evening in the Portsmouth basketball league, the Submarines playing the Naval Prison and the Crescents the Marine Barracks.

The games will be played at the armory and should be very interesting. The battle between the submarines and the Naval Prison should be a good one.

FOOD SALE
The Women's Guild of St. John's Church will hold a food sale in the Parish House on State St., Dec. 14 at 2.30 o'clock. 2t d12

Christmas Trees For Sale

ORDER YOUR TREES NOW TO AVOID DELAY AND TO INSURE SATISFACTION

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Local radio fans will be interested to know that on Friday evening, Dec. 14, between the hours of 8 and 9 p. m. the story of Pike Sharpening Stones will be broadcast from Station WEAH, American Telephone and Telegraph Co., New York City, by Herbert R. Conner, manager of the New York office of the Pike Manufacturing Co.

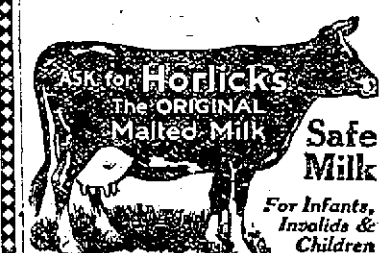
The history and development of this well-known New Hampshire company which is now completing its hundredth year in business is one of the business romances of New England. Starting over a century ago with a single product and in an extremely humble way in the tiny village of Pike, the products of this concern, now many and varied, go out to every part of the civilized world. Indeed, the Pike trade mark is one of the best known American trademarks in all foreign countries. It is claimed that under this mark can be found the best stone as well as the right stone for any sharpening operation.

The story of this well known company, as it will be broadcast by Mr. Conner, will be heard by more than 700,000 listeners within a radius of 100 miles of New York City, which probably means that taking the country over, more than 1,000,000 radio fans will listen to this remarkably interesting story of the sharpening stone.

WHY SOME RECEIVING TUNERS ARE NOT SELECTIVE—WEAF TALK

Continuing his popular series of radio talks through WEAH, John V. L. Hogan, past president of the Institute of Radio Engineers, will appear before the microphone on Dec. 14. In the course of his remarks he will say: "The coils and condensers in a radio receiver are used to get the effects of electrical tuning, so that the signals arriving at some desired wave frequency can be selected from interfering signals carried by waves of other frequencies. By properly adjusting a variable condenser or a variable inductor (which is the engineering name for a coil) you can cause its circuit to become an easy path for currents produced by the WEAH waves of 610 kilocycles frequency, for example, and at the same time a hard road for currents of other frequencies to traverse. A different setting of the condenser or inductor dial or switch will permit currents of WOR's frequency, 740 kilocycles, to flow easily, and similarly other adjustments correspond to the wave frequencies of other stations."

"The variation of condensers and inductors in a radio set corresponds fairly well to changing the tension and weight of a piano string. Such an adjustment by changing the tuning, changes what is called the 'natural frequency' of the radio tuner or the musical string. This natural frequency is the rate of vibration which is the easiest for the tuned system. If we tune a piano string to the frequency of 256 cycles per second, which is the pitch of middle C, it will give off a note of that frequency whenever it is disturbed or struck. That happens because tuning the string to 256 cycles is nothing more than making its natural frequency 256 cycles, so that its easiest or natural rate of vibration is 256 cycles per second."



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"The most interesting thing about this adjusting of natural frequencies is that it works both ways. Not only does a musical string give off a note of its natural frequency when it is strongly struck or plucked, but it will pick up and start vibrating in resonance with a separately-produced sound of its natural frequency. If you tune two strings of a guitar to the same note; that is, so that they have the same natural frequency, you can make a simple experiment to demonstrate this. Pluck one of the two strings and immediately stop it from vibrating by putting your finger on it. You will then find that the second string has picked up the vibrations of the first and is carrying them on, as you can readily prove by touching the second string with your finger and noting that the sound stops. If you try this experiment with the second string a little out of tune from the first, that is with a somewhat different natural frequency, you will find that the second string does not pick up the vibrations of the first. Of course, that is because the natural frequency of the second, or 'receiving' string is then not the same as the sound frequency of the first, or 'sending' string."

"You may wonder what this has to do with radio. It is not hard to see how the first string may be compared to a radio sending station, and how the sound waves which the string gives off are in one sense like the radio waves sent out by the radio transmitter. In this same sense, then, the second guitar string is like a tuned radio receiver. This analogy may be clearer to you if we trace it step by step, so let us consider the sound waves first:

"When the first guitar string is plucked, it vibrates at its natural frequency and produces sound waves of that same frequency. The sound vibrations travel to the second string; if this second string is tuned to the original frequency the arriving waves will set it into resonant vibration at their own frequency. If the natural frequency of the second string is not the same as that of the arriving waves, it will respond relatively feebly or not at all."

"Now for the analogous radio case: When the radio transmitter is operated, it oscillates at its characteristic frequency and produces radio waves of that same frequency. The radio waves travel to the radio receiver; if the receiver is tuned to the original frequency the arriving waves will set it into resonant vibration at their own frequency. If the natural or tuned frequency of the receiver is not the same as that of the arriving waves, it will respond relatively feebly or not at all."

"Thus we have a simple acoustic or musical example of what tuning is and how it can be used to select wave vibrations of any desired frequency. The principles are the same as those that underlie radio tuning, the only differences being in the details. Sound waves are mechanical and usually occur in air, they are of audible frequencies, or say between 16 cycles and 16,000 cycles per second. Radio waves are electrical and travel through space, not requiring even air to carry them. Their frequencies are ordinarily so high that they cannot be heard directly, or say from 10 to 15 kilocycles on up to thousands of kilocycles."

"The question that naturally comes up now is why, if the musical string will respond resonantly on to a wave of its own frequency, a radio receiver will respond to waves of frequencies different from the one to which it is tuned. We all know that the unfortunate fact is that many radio receivers do bring in interference; a good many of you who are listening to me now are at the same time hearing interfering signals that are carried to you on waves having frequencies quite different from WEAH's value of 610 kilocycles. Yet it is fair to assume that all your receivers are tuned to 610 kilocycles."

"The answer to that question lies in what I called the 'pitch-sense' or selectivity of the receiver. Some receivers are capable of selecting a relatively narrow group of wave frequencies centering about a single definite value; others let in many wave-frequencies in addition to the one which is desired. For instance, a good receiver tuned to 610 kilocycles will admit practically nothing from waves of 600 kilocycles or 620 kilocycles (which are respectively 10 kilocycles below and above the central or resonant value of 610 kilocycles). On the other hand, a poorly selective receiver that is tuned to 610 kilocycles may also admit current from waves as much as 100 kilocycles below and above the resonant value or from 510 to 710 kilocycles. As you can easily see, such a receiver when tuned to WEAH might also pick up signals from WJZ on 680 kilocycles, although it would probably exclude interference from WOR on 740 kilocycles."

"What causes such a great difference in receiver selectivity? That is a question that bothers very many radio listeners. The answer is that receivers in which there is a comparatively large waste or loss of electrical energy are poorly selective. Receivers that have well designed circuits and component parts and which therefore waste relatively little energy, are highly selective. The most common causes of poor tuning are: (1st) bad aerial or ground connections, (2nd) incorrectly connected crystals, (3rd) poor tuning coils and (4th) badly designed or badly built variable condensers. All of these are easy to remedy, and some attention to them will usually improve the selectiveness of any poorly-operating tuner. Sometimes none of these items is defective, however, and still the receiving set will not tune properly. In such cases there is usually something radically wrong with the circuit arrangement or the layout of the parts."

RADIO BROADCASTING NEWS

Wednesday, Dec. 12
Station WEAH—American Telephone and Telegraph Co., New York City
7:00 p. m.—Religious services under the auspices of United Synagogue of America. Rabbi Jacob B. Grossman, Chairman.
7:30 p. m.—Daily Sport Talk by Thornton Fisher.
7:40 p. m.—Bella Girard, contralto, accompanied by Madeleine Vose.
7:50 p. m.—Why is a Feed Manufacturer? by Searle Mowat, Secretary of Larrowe Milling Company of Detroit, under the auspices of American Agriculturist.

8:00 p. m.—Florence Gilmore, soprano, and Bella Girard, Contralto.
8:30 p. m.—"Business Wreckers" by T. Davidson Brown, vice president of the National Surety Company.
8:40 p. m.—Concert by the choir of St. John's Church of Yonkers, N. Y.
9:10 p. m.—Tollefson Trio, well known concert artists, consisting of Augusta Tollefson, pianist; Carl Tollefson, violinist, and Paul Kefer, cellist.

9:30 p. m.—One of a series of talks on "Choosing a Vocation" by Mr. C. M. Smith under the auspices of the New York Board of Education.
9:45 p. m.—Concert by the choir of St. John's Church of Yonkers.
10:10 p. m.—Tollefson Trio
10:30 p. m.—"What Books to Choose for Gifts for Grown-Ups" by Herbert Askwith, former Instructor of English Literature at Harvard University.

Station WNAC—The Shepard Stores, Boston, Mass.
6:00 p. m.—Children's half hour of stories and music, Mrs. William H. Stewart.
8:00-9:30 p. m.—Concert by the employees of the Forbes Lithograph Manufacturing Company, Boston, Mass.

8:00 p. m.—Forbes Glee Club—"Stars Brightly Shining".....Ellen Bonte
8:05 p. m.—Solo—"At Dawning".....Miss Gertrude Monroe
8:08 p. m.—Forbes Saxophone Quartet—"March 'Master Builders'"

8:13 p. m.—Forbes Glee Club—"A Wonderful Rose".....E. W. Branham
Miss Lorraine M. Riley, soprano
8:18 p. m.—Tenor Solo—"Somewhere a Voice is Calling".....Arthur F. Tate
Mr. Austin Curley

8:23 p. m.—Forbes Glee Club—"Heart of Gold".....A. F. Mansey
8:28 p. m.—Forbes Saxophone Quartet—"Miserere" from "Il Trovatore".....Verdi
8:33 p. m.—Tenor Solo—"Longing for You Dear".....Densmore
Mr. Ellery F. Hussey

8:38 p. m.—Forbes Glee Club—"Carry Me Back to Old Virginia".....Dixon
Miss Monroe, soprano
8:40 p. m.—Soprano Solo—"The Lilac Tree".....George Gartham
Miss Lorraine M. Riley

8:45 p. m.—Forbes Glee Club—"Dreaming Alone in the Twilight".....Hartley Moore
8:52 p. m.—Tenor solo—"The Lost Chord".....Sir Arthur Sullivan

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9:05 p. m.—Forbes Saxophone Quartet—"The Perfect Day".....Carrie Jacobs-Bond
Forbes Glee Club, accompanist
9:15 p. m.—Forbes Glee Club—"Silver Threads Among the Gold".....H. P. Danks
b—"Christmas Carol".....J. L. Hall
9:30-10:00 p. m.—Organ recital. Broadcast from the Modern Theatre.

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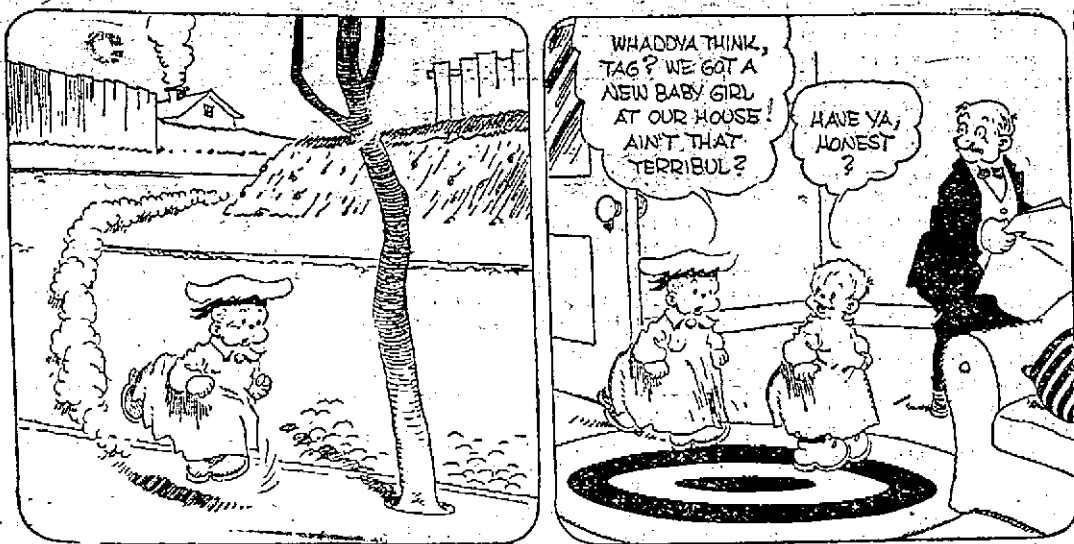
ITCHING NOT UP TO FORMER YEARS STANDARD

The pitching in the American League during the season of 1923 was not up to the standard of former years. Earned run averages were the highest in the history of the league even though the leader this year was slightly below Urban Faber's record of last year. In 1922 there were five regular pitchers below the 3-run mark. This year Stanley Coveleskie of Cleveland, with an earned run record of 2.76 is the only one to finish below three.

In analyzing the records it is apparent that the pitchers did not get into their real stride until the season was well advanced. The records established, practically all came late in the season. Guy Morton of Cleveland pitched a two-hit game against Washington on July 15.

Apparently the pitchers had warmed up to their work in September as most of the unusual marks were set in this month. Howard Ehmke of Boston shut out the Athletics without

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a hit, although he walked one man, September 7. Prior to this, September 4, Sam Jones also shut out the Athletics without a hit. After the no-hit game against Philadelphia, Ehmke came back four days later and allowed New York only one hit.

Sam Jones figured in a two-hit performance against Boston on September 10. George Dauss of Detroit allowed Boston the same number on

September 22, while Earl Whitehill of Detroit, in his major league debut, set down Cleveland with only two safe blows on September 29.

Herb Pennock of New York finished with the best percentage in games won and lost, being victorious in 19 and losing only 6. Pennock was, however, seventh in runs-earned off his delivery. Next to Pennock comes his teammate Jones with 21 and 8 but his earned run record shows an average of 3.63.

The streakout record goes to the veteran Walter Johnson of Washington with 125, who also attained the distinction of striking out the greatest number in one game, 12 Boston batters being turned back October 5. Elam VanGilder of St. Louis was the freest with passes walking 120 batters. Stanley Coveleskie was the most economical in bases on balls taking into consideration the number of innings pitched. George Uhle of Cleveland, pitching in more innings than any other pitcher in the league, 358, allowed the most earned runs as well as total runs, although Howard Ehmke was not far behind in the latter department.

The season was remarkable in the number of pitchers used by the different clubs. Probably never before had so many figured. The number of pitchers relieved, who started games, is beyond all records of the league. The number of relief pitchers taken out is also unprecedented. The record for pitchers used goes to Detroit with 318. New York has the lowest mark with 220. Cleveland used 295, Washington 286, Chicago and Philadelphia 284 each; St. Louis 278; and Boston, 269.

Many writers blamed the "lively" ball for the poor work of the twirlers, but when orders were issued by President Johnson to the umpires that greater discretion should be used in throwing out "new" balls, it was noticeable that the work of the pitchers improved.

Whatever was the cause of the mediocre work in the box, the game was not, however, without its compensation. No records were set in strikeouts, neither were any new marks bung up in bases on balls, although Grier Friday of Washington issued 14 bases to Chicago batters June 17 in 11 innings. There were many new pitchers to come into the league who made good. Among the most prominent young twirlers were Ferguson of Boston, Cveugros and Thurston of Chicago, Holloway Whitehill and Cole of Detroit, Edwards and Shaute of Cleveland and Friday, Mitchell and Zahniser of Washington.

KITTERY

Kittery, Dec. 12—Walter Tibbetts of Wentworth St. has resumed his duties at the local yard after an absence caused by illness.

Mrs. Ellen Jefferies and her son Walter Jefferies and his daughter June of Somerville, Mass., have been guests of friends in town.

Miss Blanche Hoadley of Commercial St. is employed during the holidays at the G. B. French store in Portsmouth.

Follow the crowd to the Spot Dance at Cookson's, Wednesday night.

Mrs. A. P. Webber of Stimson St. is critically ill at her home.

Miss Jeanette Philbrick of Cambridge, Mass., has returned after visiting relatives here.

The Misses Hilda and Barbara Fife of Colby College have arrived at their home here to pass the Christmas recess. Miss Hilda was an honor pupil of last year.

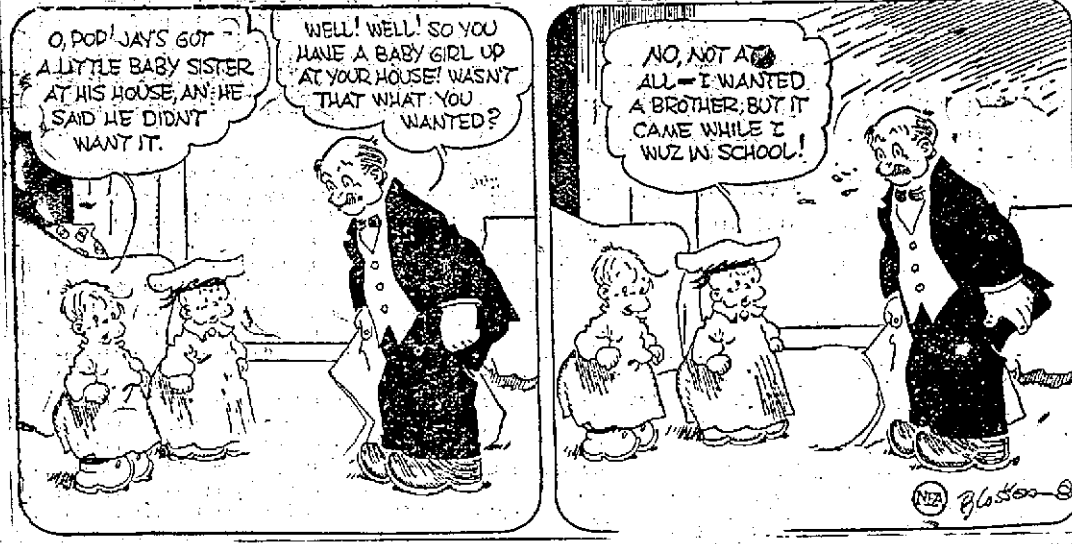
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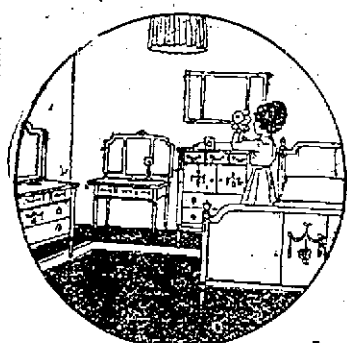
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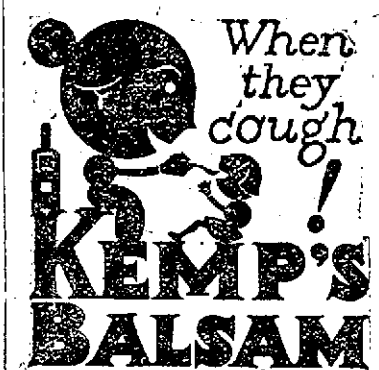
HEILMANN LED BATTERS IN AM. LEAGUE

After a sensational race between Harry Heilmann of Detroit and George Ruth of New York, the Detroit slugger led the batters in the American League for the second time in his career. His percentage of .403 was far above his record last year when he finished fourth.

Ruth slumped in his hitting toward the end of the season, finishing with an average of .303. Heilmann and Ruth led the procession all season, the former getting off to a good start. Heilmann started to slump in mid-season and when the season was about two-thirds over Ruth caught up and passed him, only to lose the lead during the final few weeks.

It is to be noticed that veterans figured largely in most of the exceptional performances during the year. Of the first ten batters eight are seasoned players. It is also noticeable that the great majority of heavy hitters are left handers with the stick. Of the first ten batters eight were in position to punish right hand pitchers the most.

Practically every record went to players who have stood the gauntlet for years. Prominently among the star performers were Cobb, Heilmann, Speaker, E. Collins, Ruth and Kenneth Williams. Cobb gained the distinction at the end of the year of completing his eighteenth consecutive year with a batting average of .300 or better.



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Tris Speaker of Cleveland set a new American League record in two base hits, the Cleveland player and manager pounding out 59 doubles. Ruth of New York led all in runs accumulating 151, a fraction under one run per game as he played in 162. A glance at Ruth's all around record explains why the Yankee star was voted the most valuable player of the year. He compiled a total of 399 bases which included 45 two baggers, 13 triples and 41 home runs, the latter total being twelve more than his nearest competitor, Williams of St. Louis.

Eddie Collins' mark of 49 stolen bases and 23 sacrifice hits were noteworthy performances.

Leaving out of consideration those figured only in a few games, the records show that out of the 38 batters who hit the ball for .300 or better, there are very few newcomers in the league who crowded into this particular column. Manush of Detroit and Summa of Cleveland may be counted as the brilliant exceptions.

Cleveland finished at the top among the teams in batting, but it was a close race with Detroit, the former winding up the season with a percentage of .301, only one point ahead of Detroit. New York Yankees, pennant winners and world's champions, were an even ten points behind Detroit, while St. Louis was back another ten points.

The Philadelphia Athletics were unable to keep up the early season's batting clip and finished next to last, Boston winding up the season with a percentage of .261, just 40 points behind the leaders, and two points less than in the preceding year. Chicago was midway, with Washington a point above Philadelphia.

CHINESE ORATOR WRITES OF HIS VISIT HERE

Those who had the pleasure of hearing Dr. Tehyi Hsiang, the noted Chinese speaker before the Grafton Club in this city recently, will be pleased to read the following letter received from him by The Herald. He made a wonderful impression here, not only before the Grafton Club but the Rotary Club and the High school as well:

Dec. 7, 1923
Mr. F. W. Hartford,
Editor, Portsmouth Herald,
Portsmouth, N. H.

Dear Sir:
I have just received a copy of your issue dated Nov. 22nd, through the courtesy of Mr. Morrison of the Portsmouth Y. M. C. A.

I cannot resist the impulse of expressing, however inadequate, my grateful thanks for the write-up you edited so ably rendered in the reportorial capacity of your reporter whom I met at the High school and at the Rockingham hotel. The kind remarks made by your paper far exceed the meed of merits I deserve. My action has always been the prompting of an inward desire to promote the deeper understanding of our two peoples.

Plant of mutual appreciation will grow out of seeds sown through your powerful medium, whose blossom is but international and inter-racial harmony.

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2—The one I did make.
3—The one I discovered I should have made.
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With grateful thanks to Portsmouth Herald.

Yours very truly,
T. H.

MOTHERS-IN-LAW BLAMED FOR MOST OF THE TROUBLES

New York, Dec. 10—Mothers-in-law break up more homes than any other influence in present day American life, officials of the Legal Aid Society asserted. The traditional mother-in-law joke, they said, was fully justified by the records of the organization's 47 years of service to New York's poor.

"Mothers-in-law are responsible for most of the thousands of domestic-difficulty cases which have come to the Legal Aid Society in recent years," Leonard McGee, attorney for the society, said. "There are three reasons for this mother-in-law complex, according to our statistics: First, no mother thinks any other woman's child is good enough for her own; second, a mother frequently sees in the marriage of her child the thwarting of her own plans and ambitions; and third, where the boy or girl has been a wage-earner, the mother dislikes sharing her accustomed income with another."

"These 'mother-in-law cases' predominate in our domestic relations work. Naturally, after the first tilt with her husband, a young wife goes to her mother for sympathy and counsel. Usually she gets both. The mother's influence sways the girl and, as the advice given is not always as helpful or intelligent as it might be, there are many broken homes in consequence."

"A mother-in-law seldom interferes where her son is involved, but when it comes to the daughters it is quite a different story. Fathers-in-law do not enter the question very much. They are usually not vindictive and more

often than not sympathize with the young people and take the attitude of 'let 'em alone and it will all come out right.'"

WAS OF OLD FIGHTING ANCESTRY

Mrs. Sarah Franklin Littlefield, whose death at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harry E. Saxton, 52 Warren street, Everett, is announced, was the widow of James Littlefield. She was born in New Castle, N. H., on Nov. 23, 1849, and was the daughter of Captain William Locke Neale, a direct descendant of Sir Walter Neale, one of the pioneers of New Hampshire, who settled at New Castle in the seventeenth century, and which place has since been the home and birthplace of almost every member of the family. Mrs. Littlefield's grandfather served in the War of 1812 and her great grandfather was a soldier in the Revolutionary War. Mrs. Littlefield is survived by her daughter, Mrs. Saxton and by two grandchildren.

KITTERY WILL PLAY EXETER ON THURSDAY

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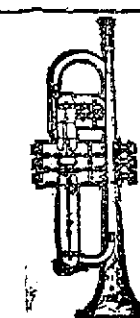
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CLASH BETWEEN DRY AGENTS AND SMUGGLERS

(By Associated Press)
New York, Dec. 12.—Smugglers and dry forces are fighting the second battle of Christmas off Rum Row, while New York watches.

A score of liquor carriers, coming from the Bahamas and other points where distillation is lawful have found themselves blocked, at least temporarily, by the coast guard cutters harassing landing parties afloat and dry forces snatching the liquor as soon as it touches the beaches.

But Rum Row, although checked, does not concede itself defeated. It has deployed until now it stretches along the coast from Long Island far down the Jersey shore, so as to render the concentrated and keep the land raiders on the jump as new landing places are selected.

These land forces are keeping the smugglers worried the most at present. Last year before enforcement agents, state police and county detectives were organized, it was a relatively easy matter for bootleggers to scatter with their contraband liquor for the nearest market as soon as it was landed.

Now it is not nearly so easy. Highways and byways leading inland from the wet spots on the coast under constant patrol by armed operatives scouring the countryside in automobiles. Motor trucks get through now and then but enough have been captured to make the bootleggers sit up and take notice.

AIR SERVICE WILL LINK U. S. AND HAWAII, SAYS MITCHELL

Honolulu, Dec. 12.—Regular airplane service between Hawaii and the United States requiring 20 hours should replace within five years the steamship service of five to seven days, according to Brigadier General William Mitchell, assistant chief of the army air service, who was here recently on a tour of inspection.

This service for mail and passengers, he said, was possible with the type of plane now being constructed or planned by the United States. The



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present type, he said, includes a plane, with a flying radius of 8000 miles with eight or ten engines operating a single propeller.

"Hawaii now possesses the most powerful and most important air service in the Pacific, and the government is awake to the needs of greater development here," he said. "In time the aviation forces will be strengthened in order to make Hawaii a strong defensive arm of the United States in the Pacific."

The islands, he added, form a fertile field for commercial aviation, and there is no reason why regular mail and passenger service among the islands should not be developed immediately.

DIED SUDDENLY FROM HEART FAILURE IN THE CITY OF LYNN

The older residents of this city will learn with much sorrow of the sudden death from heart failure of George W. Chadwick at Lynn, a former resident of Portsmouth. He was 61 years of age and for many years was a hack driver worked in the livery stables of the late R. H. Beacham and Henry R. Stoddard. He was commonly known as "Brandy" and was popular with one and all of his acquaintances and friends in this city.

Since leaving Portsmouth he had followed the shoemaking trade in Lynn and other places. The only surviving relative is one sister, Mrs. Jennie Newman.

HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC COUNCIL SELECTED

South Parish Alliance Conducts Successful Affair

A new athletic council has been chosen at the Portsmouth High School. The members are Harris Hatch, senior class; Seymour McCarthy, junior class; John McMann, sophomore class; Fred Clark, freshman class.

This athletic council will be made up of eleven members, four from the Alumni, the High school coach, a member of the faculty appointed by Headmaster Lee T. Gray, who is chairman of the council.

COMPLETES 29 YEARS AS FIRE DEPT. HEAD

Concord, Dec. 12.—Chief William C. Green yesterday completed 29 years as head of the Concord fire department. He said that he has responded to 6900 alarms and that the fire losses during his incumbency have amounted to \$2,127,000. During his term the department has been completely motorized.

CHRISTMAS SALE

The South Parish Alliance held a Christmas sale of fancy articles, assorted cake and home-made candy on Tuesday afternoon at the chapel, on Court street. Tea and sandwiches were also on sale during the afternoon. The tables were attractive and a good number of patrons were present and sales were brisk and \$75- or more will probably be cleared from the affair.

Miss Stella C. Webster was in general charge of the sale. Her assistants were as follows: Apron table—Mrs. Warren N. Davis, Mrs. Ralph Lighthouse, Mrs. Fred L. Wood.

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BLUE TRIANGLE NOTES

The Old Ark Tea Room of the Y. W. C. A., which was so popular during the summer, has recently become a modern coffee house and here soup, sandwiches, doughnuts, cakes, pies, tea and coffee will be served at the usual luncheon hour. Home-cooked food will be sold here. When ordered and the "Y" will welcome any girl who may wish to bring her own lunch and avail herself or not as she may desire of the hot soup and beverages.

SOUTH PARISH NOTES

The officers and teachers of the South Parish Sunday school will hold their monthly meeting this evening at the home of Hans P. Berna on Concord Way, Atlantic Heights. Important business will be discussed and plans made for the annual Christmas tree and party of the Sunday school on the afternoon of Dec. 26. A social hour will follow.

NO SUPERIOR COURT

No session of Superior Court was held this morning owing to sickness of attorneys. This afternoon a liquor case is expected to be tried. The jury will report at 2 p. m.

A lady who travels extensively was heard to remark yesterday that Hasset's have the finest line of Christmas cards she had ever seen.

ATHLETIC COUNCIL FOR HIGH SCHOOL WELL UNDER WAY

A meeting of all alumni of the high school who are interested, will be held on Friday evening at the Chamber of Commerce rooms for the purpose of electing four members of the alumni team as representatives on the athletic council of the high school and to possibly start an alumni association.

The plans for an athletic association at the high school provide for a council of eleven members. This matter has been under discussion by a group of the alumni for some time, the late Albert R. Hatch being one of the originators of the scheme to revive the old athletic association of the school. At the time of his death the plans had been practically perfected and with Harry W. Peyser, Ira A. Newick, W. F. Woods and R. D. McDonough as a committee, several meetings were held with Headmaster L. T. Gray. After Mr. Hatch's death, the matter lay dormant until taken up lately by Messrs. Peyser and Newick and the original plans with slight changes were adopted and at a meeting of the board of instruction last evening the plans were endorsed.

The association will really consist of a council of eleven members to consist of the headmaster, the athletic coach, a faculty member appointed by the headmaster, who will act as treasurer, a member of each of the four classes and four members of the alumni. The book-keeping and accounting to be done as at present, by the commercial teacher at the high school.

The schedule for all games will as at the present time be made up by the coach and the manager of the teams and then submitted to the council for approval. The council will have general supervision over all school activities and the four alumni members will also act in an advisory capacity.

CLAIMS HE SHOT MAN YEARS AGO

reil, 44, a negro, living at 605 Holly way, last night surrendered to answer for the alleged shooting of an Italian in Boston 22 years ago. He told Lieut. Crouse of the detective bureau he had not had a good night's sleep since the crime and was ready to take his medicine.

Ferrell stated he was a bellboy at the Castle Square Hotel in Boston about 22 years ago and, going to his home one night, met an Italian with a pistol in his hand. Believing the man intended to shoot him Ferrell said he shot the Italian and fled. He did not at the time, nor has he since, made any effort to learn whether the man was killed.

Ferrell says he fled to Cincinnati where he remained a short time and then came to this city where he has lived since.

He says the sight of the Italian dropping to the ground has haunted him continually and for days he couldn't eat or sleep. He was locked up as a fugitive from justice and the Boston police notified.

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THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE Superior Court, Rockingham, ss.

In the matter of a libel for divorce with prayers relative to the custody of children, alimony, support, and other relief which is now pending in the Superior Court for said County of Rockingham, the original of which is on file in such court and may be examined by interested parties, the title of the case being as follows:

Joshua Perry v. Blanche O. Perry. It appearing that the residence of the libelant give notice to the libellee to appear at the Superior Court next to be held at Exeter, in said county of Rockingham, on the 12th day of January, 1924, then and there to show cause, if any there be, why the prayers of said libel should not be granted by causing a true and attested copy of this citation and order of notice to be published in the Portsmouth Herald a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said county of Rockingham, it being the last known place of residence of the libellee in this state, three weeks successively, except last publication to be at least fourteen days prior to the return day.

It is further ordered that the clerk shall send by registered mail, with request for return receipt, a copy of the libel and order attested by him, within seven days after the filing to the libellee at the last known postoffice address and to the relative or friend, as stated in the libel.

Attest: A. S. RUNDLETT, Clerk. Samuel W. Emery, Esquire, Atty for Libellant.

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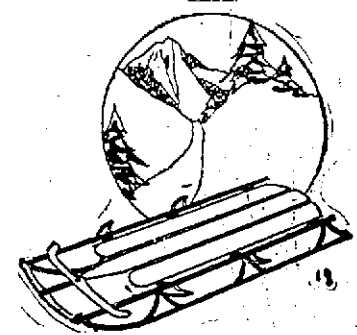
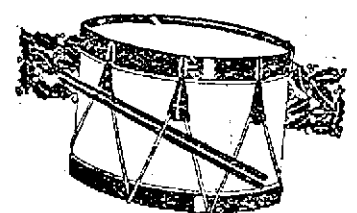
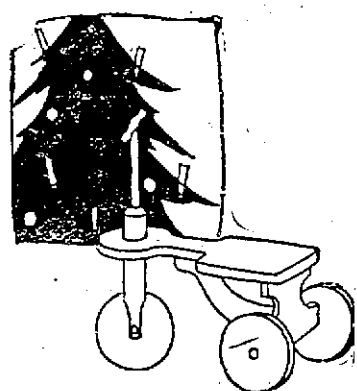


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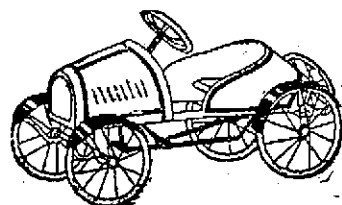
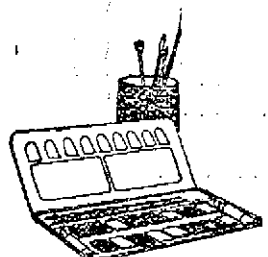
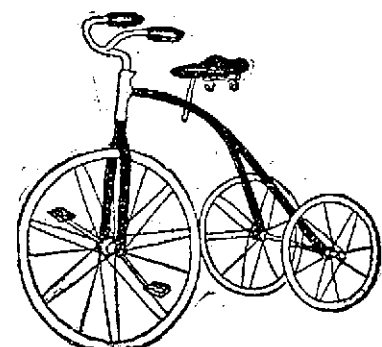
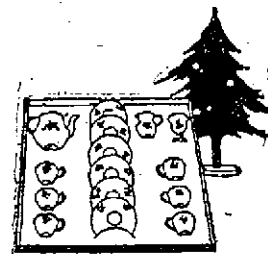
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